IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Criminal Misc 26539-M of 2007 (O&M)

Date of decision: 27.4.2007

Rajwinder Kaur and anr …Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and ors …Respondents

Present: Mr Amrit Pal Singh, Advocate, for the petitioners.

S.S. SARON, J.

The petitioners, by way of the present petition under Section 482 CrPC seek issuance of directions to respondents-1 and 2 to protect their lives and liberty which is stated to be in danger at the hands of respondents-3 to 5 who are the relatives of petitioner-1.

The petitioners solemnized their marriage on 20.4.2007 at Hoshiarpur according to Sikh rites and customs. The photographs showing the solemnization of their marriage have been placed on record as Annexure P3. The marriage between the petitioners was without any pressure, coercion or duress from anybody. However, the same is not to the liking of respondents-3 to 5 who are the relatives of petitioner-1. As such, they are threatening the petitioners of dire and serious consequences. Respondent-3 is also stated to have filed a complaint with the Police of Police Station Dasuya against petitioner-2.

After hearing learned counsel for the petitioners and perusing the paper book, it is appropriate to note that the petitioners have not

approached respondents-1 and 2 setting out their grievances as have been made in the present petition.

In the circumstances, the petition is disposed of with a direction that in case the petitioners approach respondents-1 and 2 setting out their grievances as have been made in the present petition, the same would be looked into by them independently and in accordance with law.

27.4.2007. (S.S.SARON)
ASR JUDGE